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Report of Slovenia

Summary**

Since the Tenth United Nations Conference on the Standardization of Geographical Names, the Slovenian Commission for the Standardization of Geographical Names has continued with its work on the standardization of geographical names within and outside the territory of Slovenia.

Between 2012 and 2017, the Commission met on 39 occasions: 5 meetings and 34 corresponding meetings.

The main task of the Commission in that period was to prepare decisions on the correctness and suitability of new and changed names of streets and settlements in Slovenia, in accordance with the law designating areas and naming and marking settlements, streets and buildings. The accepted opinion of the Commission must be followed by municipalities, which are tasked with officially announcing new or changed names.

Both standardized and non-standardized geographical names are kept in the register of geographical names, which is maintained by the surveying and mapping authority of Slovenia.

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** The full report was prepared by the Commission for the Standardization of Geographical Names of Slovenia. The report is available from http://unstats.un.org/unsd/geoinfo/UNGEGN/ungegnConf11.html, in the language of submission only, as document E/CONF.105/28/CRP.28.

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